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WILL WIN MY CASE IF TRUTH BE TOLD

Went After the Snake

And Came Out Wounded.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) LEXINGTON, VA., August 11.—Three

young men who are sojourning at the Rockbridge Baths had an exciting ex-perience exploring a cave near Wil-

son's Springs. Rumors that a large

enake had his abode there challenged

the young men to dislodge the serpent. They provided themselves with a pis-tol of ancient pattern and entered the

cave. Shortly thereafter a report
was heard. Later the boys emerged
from the cavern considerably disfigured, resulting from the one shot fired.
The ball struck a shelving rock and

bounding of the ball struck another in the hip, while the boy who fired was

shocked by the concussion. The snake

remained in possession of the cave.

TWO BRISK FIGHTS

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WILMINGTON, N. C., August 11.-Two

fights in the business center of Wilming-

ton this afternoon furnished excitement

Jonn H. Gore, Esq., law partner of ex-Governor Russell, and W. Harriss North-

rop. Jr., clerk of the City Board of Audit

and Finance, had a lively fistcuff, which

grew out of a litigation over the North-rop Lumber Mill between Harriss North-

rop's lather and uncle, owners of the property, and C. H. Cooper, who leased the mill last year. The fight is said to

The Paige Was Leaking.

resulted from some remarks made by Lawyer Gore, who represented Cooper in a hearing in chambers before Judge Oliver H. Allen, of Kinston, this morn-ing. Both parties were arrested and put

and gossip for the natives.

splintered pieces hit one of the

IN WILMINGTON

So Declared Policeman Wyatt Last Night.

FIVE ARRESTS YESTERDAY

Men Charged With Running Gambling Houses.

LIKE BOLT FROM THE BLUE SKY

Developments in Police Circles Yesterday Caused Sensation-Many Citisens Summoned to Appear as Witnesses in Police Court This Morning - Men

Have Counsel.

Five mileged proprietors of gambling bouses formerly operated in this city will appear before 'Squire Graves in the Police Court this morning to answer the sharge of having conducted games of

chance within the last twelve months. The appearance of these cases on the socket this morning is due to the activity of Acting Sergeant Wyatt, of the Second District, at the instigation of

Palor Howard.

Policeman Weatt in an interview with
Major Howard yesterday morning said
he had the names of a number of witnesses whom he felt he could rely on to help him in his case against the alleged operation of the gambang places. The Major asked for the names, and they were given. Then he told the officer to

were given. Then he told the officer to go ahead and do the best be could.

Then warrants were sworn out against five men, alleged to be proprietors of gambling places. They are H. Coles Jordan and W. Garthright, No. 708 East Broad Street; H. Pellegrin, and William Phelps, No. 618 East Broad Street; Lyons, North Swenth Street. as Lyons. North Seventh Street, men were arrested yesterday ar-on and carried to the Second Stabion. They were bailed out in a short while, Mr. A. W. Bennett going on the bond of Messrs. Jordan and Garthright; Mr. Ike Weinstein doing the same for Messrs. Phelps and Pelligrini, and Mr. Sam Cohen standing for Mr. Lyons. They were bailed to appear this morning, and Mr. Wyatt said he had a list of about a dozen citizens who he was convinced had the the cambiling places. into the gambling places.

POSSIBILITY OF WINNING. "If there is not some tall lying," gaid r. Wyatt, "I will win my case." He hard all afternoon, and was out

Mr. Harry Glenn to represent them in the Police Court, and Mr. Lyons will probably have the same counsel Meyers. Phelps and Pelligrini will probably have Charles L. Page, of Manchester, to

represent them.

The men were taken by surprise when
the warrants were served on them. I
they had been in the business allege
it is certain they are now out. The It is certain they are now out. The warrants were drawn, however, to cover them, and read for conducting a place "within twelve months last past." One of the men at the Second Station Faid that he had done nothing since March, and he did not know what he was arrested for. The line or defense was not indicated lar, night, and it is quite likely that the cases will be postponed when they are called this morning.

The arrest of these men is the culmi-The arrest of the second District, as a result of the charges made by Policeman result of the charges made by Policeman Wyatt against Captain Angle. These charges were that Mr. Wyatt had been ordered by Captain Angle to do nothing in gambling cases without first reporting to him. The Police Board investigated the charge and exhonorated Captain Angle.

SEEKING VINDICATION. In following this up and with the view of proving that the charge was true, not withstanding the action of the board, Mr. Wyatt goes further into the matter, and the result will prove either a substantiation of what he said, or it will forever the incident.

tiest the incident.
At the Police Board hearing two weeks tro Mr. Wyatt said he had a list of name of men who conducted gambling places and a list of names of men whom he linew visited the houses. He read out the names of the alleged proprietors, but Gid not disclose those of the visitors. Pressure was brought to bear, and at the close of the interview with Major Howard yesterday the arrests were made. If the men are convicted to-day it will prove a signal victory for Mr. Wyatt. Lie feels that he has a clear case all through, but one of the men who had been summoned to appear as a witness tail last night that he knew nothing of the matter. of men who conducted gambling place

In the language of Mr. Wyatt, if there

In the language of Mr. Wyatt, if there is "not a lot of lying." he may win out. All the men under arrest are well known sporting men of the city.

Officer Wyatt has worked like a Trojan on the case, and he has even found out where a lot of paraphernalia is stored. "But I don't know whose it is or where it came from." he said.

Captain Angle remains silent. He detlarer that he knows nothing about the

clares that he knows nothing about the

cases will be called this morning et 9:30 o'clock, Mr. Wyatt will try to have the Commonwealth represented by counsel, aside from the Justice himself.

THE KOREA WELCOMED

The Virginia-Built Boat Safely Reaches Her New Harbor Home,

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., August II.—
The Pacific mail steamer Korea, the targest steamer ever built in America, arrived here to-day, 5812 days from New-port News. The Korea was given an enthusiastic welcome, all of the steam vessels in the harbor saluting her as she proceeded to her anchorge.

Judge Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., was of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., was considered announced in 1861. He was graduated from Harvard in 1851 and served in the Federal army during the Civil War. Later he read law and was admitted to the bar in 1856. He was elected a professor in the Harvard Law School, and was appointed a justice of the Supreme proceeded to her anchorge.

Joint Debate Proved Interesting

THE CONGRESSMAN LED OFF

Captain John Lamb and Mr. Jefferson Wallace met again yesterday afternoon in joint debate at Chesterfield Courthoust before a crowd of about 125 people The enthusiasm shown was not very demonstrative, but [the gathering 1.5] tened attentively to each speaker, and

County Chairman Phil V. Cogbill called the assembly to order at 1:20 o'clock and introduced Mr. Julian Salle, who announced the terms of debate. Captain Lamb was to open in twenty-five minutes, Mr. Wallace to respond in

pleasure for him to visit Chesterfield, and that the friendship which had so lav-ishly been bestowed upon him in his preishly been bestowed upon him in his previous campaign made him feel as though he was in the house of his friends. He then reviewed his career in Congress. "I want to know," queried the Captain, "why, when a man has performed faithfuny the trust imposed (and there are no charges to prefer), there should be a charge to a new and untried man?"

Captain Lamb then reviewed at some length the many measures that he had championed while in Congress. He re-ferred to the Richmond College bill. which he labored hard for and had finally succeded in having passed; the elcomargarine bill, which by his influ-ence had been called from the Agricultural Committee, of which he was a member, and which had successfully passed; the rural free delivery, the fla-bility bill and the Locomotive Works

Captain Lamb then referred to his attitude during the period pending the declaration of war with Spain, and then waxed warm into an argument why he should be retained.

Having shown the valuable service rendered his contituency Captain Lamb argued that it took sometime for a new man to learn the has and outs of Congress, and exclaimed: "Why, therefore, should I be replaced by an inexperienced

If a man in your employ proves faithful after many year's service, would you

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GRAND JURY PROBING THE CRAVEN LYNCHING

Inquiry Conducted by Some of Loudoun's Best Citizens

JUDGE'S EARNEST CHARGE

Appeals to Jury to Vindicate the Majesty of the Law.

HANGING WAS UNNECESSARY

The Judge Makes This Declaration and Declares That Circumstances Distinguished This From All Other Crimes-Not an Act of Depravity.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
LEESBURG, VA., August 11.—The lynching of the negro Craven is being investigated by a grand jury composed of some of the best citizens of Loudour county. Intense interest is felt in the in-quiry, which may extend through several days, and there was a large crowd around the courthouse to-day.

days, and there was a large clowd around the courniouse to-day.

The spirit of determination on the part of the authorities to bring to justice those who were responsible for the lynching was emphasized in the vigorous charge to the grand jury. The judge could hardly have spoken more boldly. He said not the slightest excuse could be offered for the lynching, which had brought shame and disgrace upon the community. The saddest feature of the affair, said Judge Tebbs, was that the mob was composed largely of men of standing and education, from whom the community expected better things—men who were expected to be found upholding the law. These men, the judge declared, were "leaders in heedless violence, in rank lawlessness."

Judge Tebbs in conclusion urged the awlessness

Judge Tebbs in conclusion urged the jury to so perform its duty as to vindi-cate the majesty of the law. An the fact that the jury is composed of such men as S. S. Lutz, Henry Harrison, Alfred Stanton, E. W. Presgraves, R. W. Braden, John H. Bowers, John H. Crim, William Fletcher and Volney Osburn, encourages the hope that this will be done.

THE JUDGE'S CHARGE.

Judge Tabb said in part:
"Gentlemen of the grand jury: "It is made my duty, as judge of this court, to select for this service men good and true, and I cannot offer to Virginia the service of better men than I see before me. It is my duty to remind you of the law, but the honor and fair fame of Loudoun, the order and well being of the community, the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth, are entrusted to your hands. In the emergency that confronts us your duty may be an onerous one. No man would seek it, yet no honest man can shirk it. THE JUDGE'S CHARGE.

man would seek it, yet no honest man can shirk it.

These duties are succinctly set forth in the oath of your foreman, which you and each of you have sworn to observe and keep on your part. It is now my painful duty to charge you in regard to a recent occurrence, a crime of unexampled magnitude, at least in this community, and of far-reaching consequence, a reproach to our people and a foul blot on the hitherto unstained escutcheon of Loudeum.

A Son of the Poet and Essayist—Judge Holmes Has Been for Years on the Supreme Court Bench of the State of Massachusetts..

(By Associated Press.)

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., August 11.—
President Roosevelt last afternoon announced that he had appointed Oliver Wendell Hoimes, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, and in 1894 was elected Associate Justice in 1893. In 1894 was appointed Associate Justice in 1894. In 1891 he was appointed Associate Justice in 1894. There are circumstances that distinting on the Hitherto unstained escutcheon of Loudoun.

"You are to inquire into the death which only a few days since Charles Craven met at the hands of a mob. Why is this killing of Craven so important? You ask, lives the hands of a mob. Why is this killing of Craven so important? You ask, lives and the hands of a mob. Why is this killing of Craven so important? You ask, lives developed and the hand so and hands of a mob. Why is this killing of Craven so important citizen, or can his loss be so hardly borne? No! In his death the State sustains no loss. Barn-burner, highway rober, murderer, Moss likely his crime-stated soul has nassed to answer before his Maker for deeds done in the fesh, and none, not even his old mother, bewalls his fate, was all

In 1831 he was appointed Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. (Continued on Third Page.)

ROYAL WELCOME TO THE VISITING ELKS

Governor and Mayor Give Them the Glad Hand.

BRIGHT ORATORY AT HOME

Speeches Made by Visitors-Express the Greatest Pleasure at Reception Given Them By Local Elks. Leave For Norfolk.

The "Best People on Earth," otherwise known as the Elks, had everything their way in Richmond yesterday. The Richmond Lodge opened its arms to the lodge from Lancaster, Pa., and with a wolcome from Governor Montague and another from Mayor Taylor, the visitors felt that they had, indeed, run into real old Virginia hespitality.

ginia hospitality.

The Lancaster people, about one hundred strong, reached Richmond Sunday night at 10:30 o'clock on the good ship "Sassafras" from Baltimore. They had with them the Iroquois band, a famous aggregation of musicians of Lancaster, and they had the Mayor of Lancaster and the comptroller, besides a number of

prominent men from that city: As the boat came up the river the delegation of Richmond Elks, who had gathered to welcome the visitors, opened up a hombardment of sky rockets and Ro-man candles, and the visitors got the first taste of that famous old hospitality. The hand played and the Elks cheered, and almost before the boat had been moored to the Bay Line wharf the local Elks climbed over the gang plank and the rail-ings, and the grip of brotherly affection was given.

Exalted Ruler L. O. Wendenburg extended the welcome of Richmond Lodge, and Esquire Tom Hicks made a few re-marks, and warned the visitors that twen-ty-five carriages would be at the wharf the next morning at the command of the

DRIVE AROUND TOWN. DRIVE AROUND TOWN.

The carriages were at the wharf the next morning and the visitors were taken all over the city and the suburbs, and all the points of interest were pointed out. In the trip the shipyards, the business section of the city, St. John's Church, the Soldiers' Home. Hollywood, the Reservoir Park, beautiful Franklin Street and the parks were visited and then the visitors went to visited, and then the visitors went to

In the afternoon the Lancasterlans took in the city themselves, and at six o'clock they formed in line at Twelfth and Main Streets, headed by the band, and, escorted by members of Richmond Lodge, marched up Main to Sixth Street, thence to Broad, to Ninth to Capitol Square, to the Governor's Man-sion, where Governor Montague, who is a member of Richmond Lodge, in one of his characteristic speeches of a few minutes, bade the visitors welcome. The Governor gave the visitors the glad

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(By Associated Press.)

BOER GENERALS CREATE

ener, Chamberlain and the King-Kruger Does Not Like It.

be the occasion of another struggle be-tween Boer and Briton. The Colonial Office has made special arrangements for the recption of the visiting Boers at

DEVELOPMENTS IN MURDER MYSTERY

Committee Is Named for Murphy's Estate

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NEW YORK, August 11.—A commit

tee was appointed to-day by Justice of the Supreme Court, to look after the estate of Thomas Murphy, who evicted from his house his daugh-ter, Mrs. Mary O. Lindsay, the first wife of R. McKay Ormsby, the noted lawyer, who assisted in the defense of Jefferson Davis. Murphy's estate is worth about \$5,000.

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Murphy was recently declared insane. He is ninety-two years old and physicians pronounce his case acute mania and say he cannot live long. If Mrs. Lindsay survives him she will e the sole heir to his estate.

WELCOME STORM VISITED THE CITY

Richmond amidships yesterday afternoon. For a half an hour or such a matter the water came down in great bunches and the wind spread the bunches out into every conceivable shape. Pedestrians ran to cover in the nearest doorways to avoid a drenching, and in some instances the wind took the drenching in alter them. Umbrellas were useless and those who had them were unable to hots, sale but

had them were unable to nois sale but carried them close reefed.
Gutters filled and became raging tor-rents on a small scale. Meanwhile, the wind blew. Lightning got into the game also, and flashed and flared. Thunder "not loud, but deep," rumbled. And, in fact, there were all the elements that go to make up a good summer-time storm. to make up a good summer-time storm. But it cooled things off and no one grumbled except those who got wet.
Richmond was not the only place that

Richmond was not the only place that the storm visited. From various other places in the States come reports of the same visitor. As in this city the call paid was a short one and no particular damage was done. Indeed, in many places, the visitor was welcome. For it relieved the visitor was welcome. For it relieved the 'dryness," which is not liked even in lo-

Waterspout in Hampton Rodas.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Aug. 11.-A terrific electrical storm burst over this section about 6 o'clock this afternoon, and during its height a waterspout was formed in the entrance to Hampton Roads. It lasted for some minutes and was finally dispersed doing, so far as is learned, no damage as all shipping had gotten into harbor.

miers, and will witness the naval parade. It is expected that Colonial Secretary Chamberlain will be on board the steamer. The Beer leaders will spend Saturday night on board this vessel, and

Sunday they will be received by King Edward on board the royal yacht and

in the presence of a number of distin-

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SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S NEWS

Highest temperature-3 P. M.

Lowest temperature—3 P. M. 95 Lowest temperature yesterday. 71 Mean temperature yesterday. 83 Normal temperature for August. 79 Departure from normal temperature. 64 Precipitation during past 24 hours. 55 LOCAL.

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sylvania.

Devil Anse Hatfield tells a Lynchburg lawyer of the origin of the Hatfield-Mc-Coy feud.

Indications that the Sunday laws will be visorously enforced by the Petersburg Mayor.

GENE RAL

DEPUTIES AND STRIKERS JOIN IN A LIVELY NIGHT BATTLE

The Colliery at Throop, Near Scranton, is Attacked and Defended. Many Shots Are Fired on Both Sides-It is Believed That No One Was Hurt.

(By Associated Press.)

and jurists of Massachussetts. His career on the bench, particularly as Chief Justice of the Massachusetts Supreme Court. has attracted wide attention. Like Justice Gray, he is a native of Massachussetts. He is a son and namesake of the late Dr. Holmes, the poet and essayist. Justice Gray's resignation was altogether unexpected. It was recognized that he would be unable to resume his duties on the bench, and the general impression was that he would resign at or before the beginning of the next term of court in October. His successor, it is said, will not take his place on the lynch until his confirmation by the Senate. This is the unwritten practice in the case of appointment to the Supreme Court.

Judge Gray was always an ardent Republican. Like his successor in office, he was Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

Judge Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., was of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, was born in Eoston in 18fl. He was graduated from Harvard in 18fl and served in the Federal army during the Civil War, Later he read law and was admitted to

LAWYER ARRESTED

Mr. Berry, Charged by Mountjoy With Embezzlement, Promptly Discharged.

in several cases, and in one for perjury Mountjoy claims that Berry advised him to leave the county, which he did to avoid attachment levied against Mountjoy's property. Berry at Mountjoy's direction sold the latters, realestate and stock of merchandise. Mountjoy returned, stood trial and was acquitted. He then demanded a settlement of Berry.

Reports from Stafford to-night state that Mr. Berry was given a hearing tothat Mr. Berry was given a hearing to-day before Magistrate Knight and dis-charged. The arrest baused quite a sensation.

HAD VISIONS OF HEAVEN Strange Story of a Woman Who Was

Pronounced Dead. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NEW ORLEANS, LA., August 11.—A
remarkable story, attested by the best
possible authority, has just developed in

Lightning Strikes

DE SOTO, GA., August 11.-The Baptist Church at Leslie, near here, was struck by lightning yesterday while services were going on. The building was crowded. Richard Dodbuilding was crowded. Rehard Dodson, son, a cousin of Hon. W. A. Dodson, of Atlanta, was instantly killed. Forty other persons were seriously injured, though it is not thought any will die. The building was badly torn and set on fire, but hard rain prevented its destruction. destruction.

returned to life, proclaimed herself well, arcse from bed and walked about the house. She attributed the cure to Christ, saying he had dipped his hand in a fountair and bathed her head and breast. Mrs. Hagans claims that while dead

she was taken to the bottomless pit. She striggled to get out and was relieved by Christ and taken to heaven. While in heaven she was shown two roads-one broad and rough, the other narrow and smooth. The narrow road was straight and lined with gold. It led to heaven. She saw the gates of heaven open night and day. She was met by relatives and told that the Saviour was not ready for her, and that she must return to earth and tell the vision, warning the people for a week. Special messages were given her for relatives and friends. When she came to herself Mrs. Hagans

When she came to herself Mrs. Hagans refused to eat, saying: "No, they do not eat there; the Lord has filled me with grace." When the time for delivering her me-sages expired the woman refused to tell her experience. The story created great excitement in the community, and Mrs. Hagans was visited by the editor of the parish paper and a prominent Mathadiet minister. Thomas Upton, who of the parish paper and a prominent Methodist minister. Thomas Upton, who collected the testimony of seven or eight people and made a public statement. The minister remes to comment into on the strange incident.

The condition of Miss Mamie Jennings at the Retreat for the Sick remains extremely critical. Her condition on yes-terday was not so favorable. The condition of Dr. James K. Hazen,

effort to dissuade the generals fro mac-cepting British hospitality. It is pro-posed to send a Dutch vessel to inter-cept them, according to the correspond-

ent, and in any case Messrs. Wolmarans, Fisher and Wessels will go to Southamp-ton with that intention.

With the Sick.

who is ill at his home in Bon Air, continues to show a gradual improvement. His many friends are now beginning to hope ...at he may yet pull through The many friends here of Dr. Edward B. Pollard, of Georgetown, Ky., who has been dangerously ill with typhoid fever, will be glad to hear that he is now entirely restored to his good health Miss Agnes Drewry, daughter of Dr. and ars. S. D. Drewry, of Chesterfield county, is ill with typhoid fever at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Deford, in Baltimore county, Md. Her parents left yesterday for her bedside.

Revival at Elk Creek.

Rev. J. E. Hutson, the well known known evangelist of this city, is in Louisa county this week assisting Rev. Mr. Haley in a protracted meeting at Elk Creek Church. The congregations on Sunday were very large, the church being crowded at both services and many net able to get in. Such a bountiful dinner as is rarely seen was served during intermission.

just before the morning service. A couple came down from near Mineral and were married by Rev. Mr. Haley. They re-mained through the day's service and were observed of all observers.

Bartholin Seen Standing Over Slain Mother's Grave.

POLICE ARE ON THE ALERT

Mysterious Double Murder of Mother and Sweetheart.

MINNIE MITCHELL'S DEATH

Mrs. Bartholin's Body Positively Identified by Neighbors at the Coroner's Inquest-Statement of Man Who Roomed in House-Girl's

Body Found in Field

in City's Outskirts.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. II.—Developments in the mysterious murders of Minnie Mitchell and Mrs. Anne Bartholin led the police to double their efforts to locate William J. Bartholin, respectively fiance and son of the two women of the two women.

At the inquest over the body of the old woman, which was found Saturday night, rrammed into a hole under the cement loor of the Bartholin home, witnesses eadily identified the corpse as that of Mrs. Batholin. drs. Batholin.
The burial to-day of Minnie Mitchell, by ser family, removed all doubt that the body found in the field at Seventy-fourth

and State Streets last week, was that of the young woman, who was last seen with Eartholin. To-day it developed that young Bartho

To-day it developed that young Bartho-liu had quarrelled with his mother just before she disappeared, over the question of bringing his prospective bride to live at his mother's house.

SEEN AT MOTHER'S GRAVE.

An important development to-day was the discovery that Bartholin had been surprised July 30, while standing at the cellar grave of his murdered mother, by a real estate agent. Peter Van Vlissingen, who holds a mortgage on Mrs. Bartholiu's home, and who sent his agent to the Clumet property to appraise it the the Clumet property to appraise it the afternoon of July 20, furnished the police with the information about Eartholin working on the grave of his mother. The agent called and rang the front loor bell repeatedly. No one answered, and he went to the rear of the house, and through a basement window There he saw a man standing in one corner, looking at the floor, apparently absorbed in thought. Suddenly the man in the basement looked up, and saw the agent peering in. A moment later Bartholin came to the rear door and asked the agent what he wanted. The later realied that he wanted to see Mrs. Bartholin

Bartholin told the agent his mother

EXCITEMENT IN ENGLAND

Botha, DeWet, and Delarey Will be Received by Kitch-

Five men to appear in Police Court this morning to answer charge of running gambling houses. Many citizens to tes-tify. LONDON, August 11.-The arrival next in progress when the Boers arrive, and Saturday from South Africa of Generals after their reception by distinguished Botha, De Wet and Delarey promises to Colonial Office authorities, Lord Kitch-

gambling houses. Many citizens to testify,
Lancaster (Penn.) Elks given grand day here on yesterday.
Lamb and Wallace meet in joint debate at Chesterfield Courthouse.

No bidders for contract to furnish city schools with coal.
Public school children may be given recess of hour and half.
Carnesie Library Committee held listless meeting last night.
Richmond Telephone Company refused permission to string wires, and City Attorney instructed to bring action to force them to put wires underground.
Manchester coroner's jury finds Davis responsible for death of Stokes. There was talk of lynching by mob of negroes who assembled around the courthouse last night.

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in the presence of a number of distinguished personages.

The arrival in England of the Boer generals will doubtless be the prelude to another round of lionizing like that experienced by the late General Lucas Meyer, should the generals decide to stay in England, but according to The Hague correspondent of the Daily Mail, former President Kruger, of the Transvaal, and his party are equally anxious to preevent Generals Botha, De Wet and Delarey from landing in England. Members of the Kruger party have sent urgent letters and cablegrams to Madeira in an effort to dissuade the generals fro mac-Judge Tebbs delivers a vigorous charge to the grant jury investigating the lynching of Craven.

Mr. T. Weldon Berry, ex-member of the Legislature, arrested on serious charge in Stafford county, but is vindi-

charge in Stations county, out is cated.

Unsatisfactory experience of three young men who went in tunnel in search of a big snake.

Wilcox, the alleged murderer of Nell Cropsey, said to be feigning insanity.

Wreck on the Southern Railroad near Fall Creek, in which two men, thought to have been tramps, were killed.

Lieutenant Wertenbaker reported seriously injured by a fall at Fort Schuyler.

N. Y.

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A young lady of James City county burned to death by using kerosene oil to start a fire.

Two Newport News companies go into camp at Basic City, where other commands will join them.
Colonel Stony, commandant of Fort-Monroe, issues an order closing the saloon of Harry Phoebus at Old Point.

The Winchester Telephone Company absorbed by the United Company of Pennsylvania.

GENE RAL

President Roosevelt appoints Justice Oliver Wendall Holmes, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, as associate justice of the United States Supreme Court to succeed Justice Horace Gray, resigned on account of falling health.

Cape Haytien blockaded by revolutionists. American gunboat at hand to prevent cable cutting.

Venezuelan revolutionists have cut the cable off Curacoa.

Schoen says that Attorney-General Knox was responsible for the Atlantic City incident.

General Joseph Wheeler cables his impressions of the military feature of the corors-tion parade.

Length of coal strike is telling on strikers' resources. Farms are raided and barefooted women and children are begging food from the soldiers.

Developments in the Chicago Bartholin-Mitchell murder mystery.

Coming of Boer generals creates excitement in England.

Incendiary fire in Peoria, Ill., does considerable damage.

Battle between deputies and strikers at Throop, near Scranton.

Prince Chen visits the President at Oyster Bay.

Knights of Pythias assembled at San Francisce.

LAMB AND WALLACE AT CHESTERFIELD

to Small Crowd of Voters.

Mr. Wallace Replied and Captain Lamb Closed Debate in Ten-Minute Rejoinder-King William Meeting. Sunday Schools and Seeds.

it was hard to pick the choice.

thirty-five minutes and Captain Lamb to close in ten minutes. CAPTAIN LAMB OPENS. Mr. Cogbill then introduced Captain Lamb. He said that it was always a

ing. Both parties were arrested and put under a peace bond. Gore was fined ten dollars for carrying a concealed weapon, but he didn't attempt to use it. Later in the afternoon Robert Northrop, brother of Harriss Northrop, met Jno. Gore and after a few words passed they went together. Bystanders separated them. All the parties are prominent in the community and hence the fights have caused much talk. ARGUES RETENTION.

(By Associated Press.)

NOBFOLK, VA. Aug. II.—The schooner
John D. Paise, Captain Foxwell, loaded
with salt, from New Ycex to Wilmington,
C. put into the harbor to-day in distress—leaking. The Paige, which is owned here, will be partially lightered and
repaired. man?

JUSTICE HOLMES, OF BOSTON. TO SUCCEED JUSTICE GRAY

Supreme Court, vice Justice Gray, resigned. The resignation was due to ill health. Several months ago he suffered a stroke of apoplexy, which sometime later was followed by another. He has not appeared on the bench since he was stricken the first time. His advanced age-74 years-told against his recovery. Realizing that he probably never would be able again to assume the place which he so long filled with distinguished abilty and honor, he decided a short time ago to tender his resignation to the Presi-dent. With the exception of Justice Harlan he served on the bench of the Inited States Supreme Court longer than

any of his present colleagues. He was appointed an Associate Justice by President Arthur on Decmeber 19th 1881, his services extending, therefore through a period of nearly 21 years. period of nearly 21 years.

Judge Holmes, whom the President has selected as Mr. Justice Gray's successor, is one of the moct distinguished lawyers and jurists of Massachussetts. His career

Scores of shots were exchanged, but as on the bench, particularly as Chief Jus-tice of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, colliery in the village is operated by

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